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Animal care	Edexcel BTEC	BTEC Tech Awards Animal Care (2022) https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/btec-tech-awards/animal-care-2022.html	All resources on Google Classroom	Personal Learning checklists Schemes/lessons shared on Google Classroom Exemplar coursework pieces	Component 2: Animal Housing and Accommodation Sept-Dec Coursework assessment: Pearson assigned internal assessment tasks. Coursework deadline 25/11/24. Component 3: Animal health and welfare - Jan-May. End of unit assessments throughout the year. Mock exam week of 21/04/25. External assessment 02/05/25.	Component 3: Animal health and welfare - external assessment 02/05/25.	Mrs V Birch Head of Animal Care BirchV@uptonhigh.co.uk
Art and Photography	AQA	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/art-and-design/gcse	GCSE Bitesize https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/subjects/z6hs34j You tube tutorials: Art: https://www.youtube.com/@TomQuigleyArt https://www.youtube.com/@MaelMatthews Photography/Graphics: https://www.youtube.com/@nickengland151 https://www.youtube.com/@NatureofflowersGCSE SE Bitesize https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/subjects/z6hs34j Mr E's art club https://www.youtube.com/user/nickengland151 Quentin Carpenter's NatureofFlowers https://www.youtube.com/c/QuentinCarpenterNatureofflowers	Personal Learning checklists Schemes/lessons shared on Google Classroom Tracker shared on Google classroom. Project guide available on Google Classroom Video/PowerPoint tutorials available on Google classroom.	60% Coursework: 1 project to complete in Year 11; NEA/Mock' culminates in the mock assessment WB 2nd Dec 2024.. This then becomes coursework and contributes towards the 60% coursework grade. Coursework deadline 1 is December 20th 2024. Final coursework deadline is April 4th 2025.	40% of total grade. Practical exam. Question paper in January of year 11. The exam board issues 7 starting points, students will have approx 10 weeks to develop a project prior to completing a 10 hour supervised final piece.	Miss French Head of Art frencht@uptonhigh.co.uk Miss H Wynn 2nd in Art wynnh@uptonhigh.co.uk

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Business Studies	Edexcel	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcse/business-2017.html	GCSE Bitesize https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/subjects/zpsvr82	CGP Edexcel Business Revision Guide available from school £6.00 Resources available from student shared area: Student shared –/subjects – /business –/ edexcel revision	End of Unit Tests End of Year Assessment Gradual Testing Programme	Paper 1 Small Business 1hr 45mins Paper 2 Larger Business 1hr 45mins	Mr Wilson Head of Business wilsonch@uptonhigh.co.uk
Computer Science	AQA	https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/computing/specifications/AQA-8520-SP-2016.PDF	SENECA Learning – www.senecalearning.com www.bluesquarething.co.uk Erevision	CGP Revision guide and Workbook (£6) from Department Beginners guide to programming in python - https://wiki.python.org/moin/BeginnersGuide/Programmers	End of Unit Tests Yr 11 Mock Exam Programming Projects	Paper 1: 2hr Paper 2: 1hr 45 mins	Miss McLean Head of Economics and Computer Science mcleana@uptonhigh.co.uk
Dance	Edexcel	BTEC Tech Award in Performing Arts (with a dance approach) https://qualifications.pearson.com/content/dam/pdf/btec-tec-awards/performing-arts/2017/specification-and-sample-assessments/9781446939628_BTEC_L1L2_AWD_PA_SPEC.pdf	All resources on Google Classroom	Personal Learning checklists Schemes/lessons shared on Google Classroom Youtube clips of professional works (on GC)	(Sept-Dec) Component 1 - Worth 30% of final grade. Exploring the Performing Arts Coursework Deadline: 16th November 2024 (Jan-May) Component 3 - Worth 40% of final grade. Performing to a Brief: External Assessment. Theme released at the end of Jan (tbc). →Task 1 written exam - Tuesday 18 th March →Task 2 written exam - Tuesday 1 st April →Task 3 practical exam - 24th/25 th April →Task 4 written exam - 30th April	Same as Component 3 in the previous column.	Miss S Downs Teacher in Charge of Dance downss@uptonhigh.co.uk

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Drama	WJEC Eduqas	https://www.eduqas.co.uk/media/hydhvd02/eduqas-gcse-drama-spec-from-2016-e-270824.pdf	All resources on Google Classroom	National Theatre on Demand - Schools Log in details on Google Classrooms	Component 1 - November 2024 Component 2 - March 2025 Component 3 - May 2025	Component 2 - Visiting External Examiner March 2025 Component 3 - External written Exam May 2025	Mr Daltry Head of Performing Arts daltryg@uptonhigh.co.uk
Design & Technology Product Design & Textiles	WJEC Eduqas	GCSE Design and Technology Eduqas	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/z4nfwty Practice exam questions: Design and Technology (wjec.co.uk) Question Bank by Eduqas (wjec.co.uk)	WJEC Eduqas GCSE (9-1) Design and Technology Paperback – 25 Jan. 2019 https://www.amazon.co.uk/WJEC-Eduqas-GCSE-Design-Technology/dp/151045134X My Revision Notes: WJEC Eduqas GCSE (9-1) Design and Technology Paperback – 25 Oct. 2019 https://www.amazon.co.uk/My-Revision-Notes-Eduqas-Technology/dp/1510471693 Additional resources https://resources.eduqas.co.uk/Pages/ResourceByArgs.aspx?subId=8&lvlId=2	End of unit testing End of year assessment	2 hour exam 50% weighting NEA 50% weighting	Mrs H Sievers Head of Design Technology Sieversh@uptonhigh.co.uk Mr N Rigby 2nd in Design Technology - curriculum leader rigbyn@uptonhigh.co.uk
Geography	AQA	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035	Seneca Learning and Google Classroom – codes supplied by class teacher Practice Exam questions https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035/assessment-resources	CPG Revision Cards £4.50 AQA Oxford Revision Guide £5.60 Both available on Scopay	End of unit tests Knowledge Tests Mock Examinations	Paper 1. 1hr 30mins Paper 2. 1hr.30mins Paper 3. 1hr.30mins	Mrs Mitchell Head of Geography mitchellk@uptonhigh.co.uk

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English Language	AQA	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/english/gcse/english-language-8700	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zr9d7ty My Bruff (paper 1) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L_dE68iUg-k&t=30s Mr Bruff (paper 2) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tHTfc7P_O_Ls Practice exam questions: https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/english/gcse/english-language-8700/assessment-resources Mrs Whelan YouTube - Walk through the Language questions. Click on the links and several playlists will pop up. Lang paper 1 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u5loSHRzfU0&list=PLknXH09-q_rM5GBD-tZa-L6ymQ61utbGu Lang Paper 2 📺 GCSE English Language Paper 2 Q2 the ...	CGP Revision guides, practice papers and workbooks. Resources on Google Classroom Resources on Show My Homework Y11 Learner Handbook Y11 Knowledge Organisers booklet Seneca Learning GCSE Bitesize	End of unit testing. Mock examination	Paper 1: 1 hour 45 mins. 50% of GCSE Paper 2: 1 hour 45 mins. 50% of GCSE	Ms Mundy Head of English mundyl@uptonhigh.co.uk
English Literature	AQA	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/english/gcse/english-literature-8702	Mr Bruff - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CtqlCljZtcY&list=PLqGFsWf-P-cDvuiSH8SycEDh1Ugke9tmbutube - all texts available 📺 AQA English Literature Paper 1 Section A ... 📺 AQA English Literature Paper 2 Section A: ... Practice exam questions: https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/english/gcse/english-literature-8702/assessment-resources Playlists: Macbeth 📺 Character Analysis: Macbeth A Christmas carol 📺 Charles Dickens' 'A Christmas Carol': Top ... Power and Conflict Poetry 📺 'Kamikaze' in 4 Minutes: Quick Revision An Inspector Calls 📺 'An Inspector Calls': Edna Character Analy...	CGP Revision guides, practice papers and workbooks. Resources on Google Classroom Resources on Show My Homework Y11 Learner Handbook Y11 Knowledge Organisers booklet Seneca Learning Educake GCSE Bitesize - all texts available	End of unit testing. Mock examinations	Paper 1: 1 hour 45 mins. 46% of GCSE Paper 2: 2 hours 15 mins 54% of GCSE	Ms Mundy Head of English mundyl@uptonhigh.co.uk

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Food Level 1/2 Hospitality and Catering	WJEC eduqas	https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/hospitality-and-catering/hospitality-and-catering-level-1-2-award.html	BBC Bite size Practice exam questions https://www.wjec.co.uk/freepastpapers	Hospitality & Catering level 1/2 Anita Tull & Alison Palmer Text book ISBN 9781911208648	Unit 1 Exam (opportunity to retake) The Hospitality & Catering industry 40% External online e-assessment Unit 2: mock exam Hospitality & Catering in Action 60% Internal controlled Practical Assessment (9 hours)	Unit 1: The Hospitality & Catering industry 40% External online e-assessment Unit 2: Hospitality & Catering in Action 60% Internal controlled Practical Assessment (9 hrs)	Mrs H Sievers Head of Design Technology Sieversh@uptonhigh.co.uk
Geography	AQA	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035	Seneca Learning and Google Classroom – codes supplied by class teacher Practice Exam questions https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035/assessment-resources	CGP Revision Cards £4.50 AQA Oxford Revision Guide £5.60 Both available on Scopay	End of unit tests Knowledge Tests Mock Examinations	Paper 1. 1hr 30mins Paper 2. 1hr.30mins Paper 3. 1hr.30mins	Mrs Mitchell Head of Geography mitchellk@uptonhigh.co.uk
Health & Social Care	Pearsons Tech award	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/subjects/health-and-social-care.html	Website support https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/subjects/health-and-social-care.html BBC bitesize https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zbp2scw You tube clips (focus on Component 3) https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC6MJKxhBD-OaOwS7fBQSHeg/videos	Btec Tech Awards Health & Social Care Student Book ISBN 978-1-292-20092-7 Btec Revision Guide https://www.amazon.co.uk/BTEC-Award-Health-Social-Student/dp/1292200928 Examples of past papers https://www.amazon.co.uk/National-Health-Social-Revision-Guide/dp/1292230444	Component 3 – Health & Wellbeing external assessment	Component 3 – Health & Wellbeing external assessments	Mrs H Sievers Head of Design Technology Sieversh@uptonhigh.co.uk
Information Technology	OCR	https://www.ocr.org.uk/Images/371960-specification.pdf	SENECA Learning Additional Resources added to Google Classroom https://quizlet.com/511965278/ocr-cambridge-nationals-it-r012-exam-revision-flash-cards/	Recommended Revision Guide is My Revision Notes: Cambridge National Level 1/2 Certificate in Information Technologies by Sonia Stuart	Completion of 1 Exam Board Set Projects Skills building Mini Theory Tests for examined unit	1 Exam 1hr 30 mins 1 Coursework Project	Miss McLean Head of Economics and Computer Science mcleana@uptonhigh.co.uk

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History	Edexcel	https://qualifications.pearson.com/content/dam/pdf/GCSE/History/2016/specification-and-sample-assessments/GCSE_History_(9-1)_Specification_Issue_2.pdf	Quizlet Seneca Google Classroom	Revision guides ordered from the history department multiple times a year £3.50. These have been made available on scopy. Revision guidance to be emailed to parents.	End of unit exam practice. November Mock exams End of American West exams Free versions of revision guides can be downloaded from the school shared area and will be shared across google classroom.	Paper 1 Medicine through time. 1 hour 15 Paper 2 depth studies on Anglo-Saxon and Norman England and the American West 1935-1895. hour 45 Paper 3 Weimar and Nazi Germany (year 11) 1 hour 20	Mr Fearon Head of History fearonj@uptonhigh.co.uk
Maths	Edexcel	https://qualifications.pearson.com/content/dam/pdf/GCSE/maths/2015/specification-and-sample-assessment/gcse-maths-2015-specification.pdf	www.mymaths.co.uk school login uptonbc password volume Learners have their own individual login which enables them to record marks for certain tasks (these are available from their teacher) After logging in learners need to choose GCSE 9-1 (Eng) from the menu on the left. They can then access the topics of their choice. www.mathsgenie.co.uk A good source for revision with questions arranged by grade and then topic. There are worksheets, exam questions and solutions available. There are also past papers available (Edexcel 1MA1) on this website. June 2017 is the first formal examination but there are specimen papers available too. A useful link is the video mark scheme which explains the solutions.	Revision guides Edexcel revision guides are available to purchase from school: 2 books – a revision guide and workbook. They are available at higher or foundation tier. Revision for modules can be found linked to the revision guides. Available on school website https://www.uptonhigh.co.uk/page/?title=GCSE+Modules+Revision&pid=260	Year 11 Pre- Public examinations 1 Year 11 Pre-Public examinations 2	Paper 1 (non-calculator) 1 hour 30 mins Paper 2 (calculator) 1 hour 30 mins Paper 3 (calculator) 1 hour 30 mins All topics could be examined on all papers	Mr Biard Head of Maths mathsdepartment@uptonhigh.co.uk

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Media Studies	OCR	https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse/media-studies-j200-from-2017/	BBC Bitesize https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/subjects/ztnygk7 Google Classroom Quizlet	GCSE Revision Guide available from ScoPay or Amazon https://www.amazon.co.uk/My-Revision-Notes-Studies-Second-dp-1398384550/dp/1398384550/ref=dp_ob_title_bk	End of unit assessments (at the end of each half term) November mock	Paper 1 1hr 45mins TV & Promoting Media Paper 2 1hr 15mins Music & News	Miss Seery Head of Media Seeryc@uptonhigh.co.uk
MFL Spanish	AQA	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/gcse/spanish-8698	Seneca Quizlet – Quizlet sets in place for each individual class	CGP Spanish Revision Guide (£7) from MFL Department.	Regular vocabulary tests Weekly revision tasks November reading, listening and writing mock January speaking mock February 2 nd Mock in Listening and Reading	Paper 1 – Listening Paper 2 – Reading Speaking endorsement TBC Paper 4- Writing Timing of papers depends on tier of entry	Mrs J Thompson Head of Languages thompsonj@uptonhigh.co.uk
MFL French	AQA	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/gcse/french-8658	Seneca Quizlet – Quizlet sets in place for each individual class	CGP Spanish Revision Guide (£7) from MFL Department.	Regular vocabulary tests Weekly revision tasks November reading, listening and writing mock January speaking mock February 2 nd Mock in Listening and Reading	Paper 1 – Listening Paper 2 – Reading Speaking endorsement TBC Paper 4- Writing Timing of papers depends on tier of entry	Mrs J Thompson Head of Languages thompsonj@uptonhigh.co.uk
Music	Eduqas	https://www.eduqas.co.uk/media/b3cjqdxd/wjec_l1-2-vocaward_taking_performing-arts_specification-e-12-09-23.pdf	N/A	Eduas Course Companion pub WJEC	November - UNIT 2 Performance and coursework submission March - Unit 3 Coursework Submission	N/A	Miss C A Thompson Head of music thompsonc@uptonhigh.co.uk

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Philosophy & Ethics	OCR	https://ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse/religious-studies-j625-j125-from-2016/	Practice Exam Questions https://ocr.org.uk/qualifications/past-paper-finder/ You Tube 5 Minute tutorials.	Revision Guide OCR 9-1 isbn 978-1-510-40976-7 Available from school £11.70 Also, class teachers will provide additional study notes.	End of Unit Reviews Regular class reviews . End of Year whole paper assessment.	Paper 1 Christianity 1 hr Paper 2 Islam 1 hr Paper 3 Philosophy & Ethics 2 hrs	Mrs Smale Head of RS Smalek@uptonhigh.co.uk
Physical Education	AQA	https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/pe/AQA-8582-TG-NEA.PDF	Practice Exam questions https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/physical-education/gcse/physical-education-8582/assessment-resources?f.Sub-category%7CF=Sample+papers+and+mark+schemes&sort=title&num_ranks=10 You tube videos; https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=glEaHxXZKXI&list=PLHnZSiWtKLuy4gtdfRBrmfe4fa_Ulrkfe https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yat9Jp7krS8 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FGqzegqZTZw	Revision guide; My Revision notes: AQA GCSE (9-1) PE 2 nd edition. (Kirk Bizley) CGP GCSE AQA Physical Education Grade 9-1 Course. Letter to follow re. Purchasing from school Teachers provide additional revision material	Regular review tests End of unit tests. 2 Mock exam papers 2 end of year exams	Paper 1 The human body and movement in physical activity and sport = 30% Paper 2 Socio-cultural influences and well-being in physical activity and sport = 30% Non-Examined Assessment = 40%	Mr P Medland Head of PE Medlandp@uptonhigh.co.uk Mrs J Towers Head of Girls PE & Coordinator of GCSE PE Towersj@uptonhigh.co.uk
SCIENCE Combined Science	Edexcel	https://qualifications.pearson.com/content/dam/pdf/GCSE/Science/2016/Specification/GCSE_CombinedScience_Spec.pdf	Quizlet – (Mrmottramphysics) Practice exam questions https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcse/sciences-2016/coursematerials.html#filterQuery=Pearson-UK:Category%2FSpecification-and-sample-assessments	Combined Science Revision Guide (£6.35) from Science Department Revision cards (£8.65) Combined Science Revision Workbook (£7.10) Revision planners will be emailed to parents	End of unit tests (EDUCAKE) Regular knowledge tests November Mock 1. March Mock 2.	Paper 1. 1hr 10 mins Paper 2. 1hr 10 mins Paper 3. 1hr 10 mins Paper 4. 1hr 10 mins Paper 5. 1hr 10 mins Paper 6. 1hr 10 mins	Mr Lydiate Head of Science lydiate@uptonhigh.co.uk

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SCIENCE	AQA	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/combined-science-synergy-8465	BBC Bitesize; https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zw488mn	Combined Science Revision Guide (£6.35) from Science Department Revision cards (£8.65) Revision planners will be emailed to parents	End of unit tests (EDUCAKE) Regular knowledge tests November Mock 1. March Mock 2.	Paper 1. 1hr 45 mins Paper 2. 1hr 45 mins Paper 3. 1hr 45 mins Paper 4. 1hr 45 mins	Mr Lydiate Head of Science lydiate@uptonhigh.co.uk
SCIENCE Triple Science Biology	Edexcel	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcse/sciences-2016.html#tab-Biology	Quizlet – (Upton_biology) Practice exam questions https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcse/sciences-2016.coursematerial.html#filterQuery=Pearson-UK:Category%2FSpecification-and-sample-assessments	Separate Biology Revision Guide (£3.30) from Science Department Revision cards £4.60 Separate Biology Revision workbook (£4.35) Revision planners will be emailed to parents	End of unit tests (EDUCAKE) Regular knowledge tests November Mock 1. March Mock 2.	Paper 1. 1hr 45mins Paper 2. 1hr 45mins	Mr Lydiate Head of Science lydiate@uptonhigh.co.uk
SCIENCE Triple Science Chemistry	Edexcel	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcse/sciences-2016.html#tab-Chemistry	Quizlet – (Mrmottramphysics) Practice exam questions https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcse/sciences-2016.coursematerial.html#filterQuery=Pearson-UK:Category%2FSpecification-and-sample-assessments	Separate Chemistry Revision Guide (£3.30) from Science Department Revision cards £4.60 Separate Chemistry Revision workbook (£4.35) Revision planners will be emailed to parents	End of unit tests (EDUCAKE) Regular knowledge tests November Mock 1. March Mock 2.	Paper 1. 1hr 45mins Paper 2. 1hr 45mins	Mr Lydiate Head of Science lydiate@uptonhigh.co.uk
SCIENCE Triple Science Physics	Edexcel	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcse/sciences-2016.html#tab-Physics	Quizlet – (Mrmottramphysics) Practice exam questions https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcse/sciences-2016.coursematerial.html#filterQuery=Pearson-UK:Category%2FSpecification-and-sample-assessments Revision planners will be emailed to parents	Separate Physics Revision Guide (£3.30) from Science Department Revision cards £4.60 Separate Physics Revision workbook (£4.35)	End of unit tests (EDUCAKE) Regular knowledge tests November Mock 1. March Mock 2.	Paper 1. 1hr 45mins Paper 2. 1hr 45mins	Mr Lydiate Head of Science lydiate@uptonhigh.co.uk

